Staff Council Talking Points
January 11, 2023
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Archive of all Staff Council meeting agendas, recordings and approved minutes (https://www.uidaho.edu/governance/staff-council/meetings)

Staff Member of the Month
Daniel Urrutia – Res. Hall System Coordinator, with House & Residence and Life
Daniel was the search chair on a recent search with Housing & Residence Life. He was great at keeping the search committee on track and moving applicants along in a timely manner (which is a struggle with everyone's busy schedule). His search documents were very thorough and detailed. It was a pleasure working alongside him in this search :-)

Good of the Order Breakout Sessions
Staff Council members discussed the following topic areas in breakout sessions and reconvened to share as a whole:

1. Purpose
   a. What are we hoping to accomplish by being on Staff Council?
   b. What do you think Staff council was going to be?
2. Challenges
   a. How Can we get more council participation from seated members?
   b. What are the major challenges for making it to Staff Council meetings?
   c. What is the major challenge for participating within the meetings?
3. Impact –
   a. What are constituents’ issues?
   b. Did you let your constituents know you’re on Staff Council?
   c. What topics or impacts do you want to see addressed by Staff Council?
4. Directions
   a. What topics or impacts to work on moving forward?

Reports
- The Staff Compensation Committee reported meeting with leadership regarding CEC recommendations which included merit.
- Awards & Recognition committee reminded the approaching January 27th deadline for nominations.
- Wellness committee discussed the ongoing purpose and further need of the committee.
- Human Resources reminded that annual evaluations are in process.
- The Elections & University Committees needs someone to take the mantle for the committee in the very near future.